Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 15 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Monday 16 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Saturday 14 Aug 2021 at 14:06

Confidence: High for a mostly cloudy Sunday and a cooler start to next week, moderate for any sunny breaks.

Headline for Sunday 15 Aug 2021: A cloudy start but outbreaks of rain and drizzle encroaching from the west.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 15 Aug 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Drizzle	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain	Light rain	Light rain	Light rain	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
60%	20%	20%	50%	50%	50%	30%	20%

Forecast for Sunday 15 Aug 2021

Weather: Cloudy during the early hours of the morning with outbreaks of light rain and drizzle, particularly across western slopes. Rain easing for a time but remaining cloudy through until dawn. Sunday morning is likely to continue rather dully with showery outbreaks of rain and drizzle. Outbreaks of rain and drizzle gradually easing from late afternoon with clear spells developing before midnight.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 30% chance throughout

Visibility: Generally moderate outside of any rain and drizzle where visibilities will drop to poor to moderate. Cloud will also lower throughout the morning, initially with bases from 600-700m, however from mid-morning, cloud bases drop to 400-500m reducing visibilities across summits and slopes considerably. Cloud bases only rising above the level of summits after dark.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	16/21 SW	16/21 SW	15/21 SW	16/22 SW	16/24 SW	13/18 SW	11/15 W	11/16 NW	12/19 NW
300	9/19 SW	9/19 SW	8/19 SW	11/21 SW	12/22 SW	9/18 SW	7/13 W	6/13 NW	6/14 NW
Valley	5/14 SW	6/16 SW	7/19 SW	11/21 SW	11/22 SW	9/18 SW	7/14 W	6/13 NW	6/15 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	13/10	13/10	11/9	12/9	13/10	13/11	13/11	12/9	10/8
300	14/13	14/13	14/12	15/13	15/13	15/14	15/15	14/13	11/10
Valley	15/15	15/14	14/13	16/14	16/14	16/15	16/15	14/14	12/11
Freezing Level*	2800m	2200m	2300m	2400m	2800m	2600m	2600m	2400m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Sunday is likely to be miserable with a mixture of low cloud and outbreaks of showery rain across many summits and slopes. As a result conditions underfoot are likely to be slippery and combined with poor visibilities, navigation is likely to be challenging at times.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Sat 14 Aug 2021	3.6mm	4.2mm	7.2mm

Forecast for Monday 16 Aug 2021

Weather: A cloudy start but largely dry with variable amounts of cloud from mid-morning, offering some welcome brighter or sunny spells across the Brecon Beacons. Skies readily clearing during the afternoon with cloud only increasing from the west after dark.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 10-15mph gusting 20mph near summits.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 60% during to 80% during the morning.

Visibility: Generally good, however shreds of cloud with bases from 600-700m will result in the temporary reduction of visibilities near summits during the morning.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 11 rising to plus 16 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 07 rising to plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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